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THE WEATHER.

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WOMEN SUFFRAGE ACTUALITY

After Bitterest Legislative Fight Known; Struggle Is Not Yet Ended

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DISCUSSES RUSSIAN SITUATION

Eminent Financier Wants Russian Curtain Lifted Before U.S. Acts

CHAPTER II
(THIS IS THE SECOND INSTALLMENT OF THE INTERVIEW WITH MR. FRANK A. VANDERLIP, AND WILL BE FOLLOWED TOMORROW BY A STATEMENT BY THIS EMINENT FINANCIER ON THE JAPANESE SITUATION.)

BY FLOYD MACGRIFF
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NEW YORK, Aug. 26.—"Let us lift the Russian curtain and see for ourselves what is going on in Russia."

This was the positive treatment suggested today by Frank A. Vanderlip, world-famed financier, when asked by the International News Service to comment on the Russian situation which has been baffling the world.

"There is a tremendous ignorance in this country of what is actually going on in Russia," Mr. Vanderlip stated.

IGNORANT AS TO BOLSHIEVISM
"It is needless to say that I'm not a Bolshevik," Mr. Vanderlip added, laughing. "In fact the great majority of Americans are not Bolsheviks. There is a wide ignorance I believe, as to Bolshievism or Communist Socialism means. We cannot understand Russia if we try to look at her through a curtain."

Mr. Vanderlip suggested that an American mission, either official or unofficial, but unmistakably impartial might do this country great service by visiting Russia just as British and other European delegations have done there—and reporting to our people the actual conditions, problems and needs of Russia, minus propaganda trimmings.

GET SECOND INFORMATION
"Of course it might be that the Russian soviet government would not permit such an impartial survey of their country," said Mr. Vanderlip, "but we might try. At present our information about Russian conditions is second or third hand."

"There is no sentiment of consequence in this country toward assisting anything of a communistic-socialist trend, which clashes with American ideals. But we ought to find out for our benefit just what the present situation in Russia is."

"I do not think we should make any move as regards Russia until we first have accurate information upon which to go," said Mr. Vanderlip. "But to work in the dark as at present, seems absurd."

"What do you think of Secretary of State Colby's statement which sought to drive a wedge between the Russian people and their Moscow government," he was asked.

"I think it will prove ineffective," Mr. Vanderlip declared. "With most of Russia illiterate and the Bolsheviks (Continued on page five)

Perjury Before Jury Is Charged
Harry Diamond, owner of the Standard Bottling Works of Indiana Harbor, and Mrs. Nettie Herschovitz, formerly owner of the Calumet Drug store on Chicago avenue, East Chicago, are both accused of serious offenses in affidavits which were filed in the criminal court at Crown Point this morning.

The affidavits were made a part of a motion for a new trial in the case of the State vs. Algier J. Gavalis.

Nicholas and Frank Tumbar, who live at 3315 Ivy street, Indiana Harbor, and upon whose evidence the grand jury indicted Gavalis for selling liquor, are the makers of the affidavits and assert that the evidence given before the grand jury was false. Nicholas further asserts that he and his father were employed by Harry Diamond and Mrs. Nettie Herschovitz to go before the grand jury and testify that they had purchased whiskey from Gavalis, the owner of the drug store, and from R. H. Canan, the manager.

PUBLIC SERVICE

Did You Hear That

POSTMASTER John Rohde and his wife will leave next week on a motor trip through Minnesota.

THEY can kid old Ralph Pierce about fish, but he knows well enough not to bring anything home but the finest kind of wall-eyed pike.

SOMEBODY wants to ask Sergeant Cramer if he cares to play ping pong any more, which the Bremen are using for exercise.

HAMMOND visitors at the 1st Division circus, now playing in Chicago, say that George Lipinski is playing the callopie there.

THAT Orak temple is going to hold its picnic at Harrison park, Saturday, Sept. 11. Many novel features are promised for this occasion.

THE west side of the Gubitz shoe store on State street has been jacked back in place so that it looks almost as good as it did before it slid into the cellar.

"I SEE our street commissioner has returned from his vacation," tersely commented Alderman Frank Martin just like that and you can draw your own conclusions.

MRS. John I. Gwin, of Bensenville, was in Hammond on business connected with her duties as chairman of the Tenth Indiana democratic women's organization.

ATTORNEY W. J. McAlister is devoting the major portion of his attention to the Crown Point races these days. Imagine trying to have a race meet without Bill McAlister.

FRANK DUCOMB was telling a bunch the other day about a prizefight he attended where the arena was so crowded that the ringside that it was considered an act of violence for a man to take a long breath.

FRED ROHDE, who with his family is touring the Dakotas in a motor, writes home that his most exciting adventure was being pulled out of the Grand river bottom where he got stuck by Indians and their ponies.

ATTORNEY Phil Greenwald expects to be back in his office tomorrow after spending some in St. Margaret's hospital. He entered the hospital Friday and underwent a minor operation and since then his recovery has been rapid.

MAYOR Brown expects to be able to announce the arrival of another big shipment of government meats, the latter part of this week or the first of next. It will probably be his last consignment.

W. D. HEADRICK, a prominent Indianapolis attorney, was in Hammond today looking up some matters in connection with the case of Pauline Fredricks, who died recently after shooting her husband at Joliet.

VERNE REDMOND had an X-ray taken of his arm yesterday and found it had been fractured three years ago when he cranked a truck in France and that it had grown together and he never knew it was fractured.

THE city has made repairs to the Calumet avenue pavement north of the bridge which was in such frightful condition, but the railroad crossings are as bad as ever and something ought to be done about them.

HAMMOND drygoods buyer just back from New York, reports he had a hard time getting a glass of ordinary ginger ale there. Whenever he ordered ginger ale they brought it to the H. M. with whiskey in it and soaked him one dollar.

THEY told this at a ladies' bridge party. Little girl asked her mother, "Where did you first see me, mother?" "In a hospital, dear," the mother answered. "In a hospital?" exclaimed the child. "Who was sick?"

THE race racer, which the Hammond Auto Paint & Top Co. is entering in the race at Indy Sunday, is about the fastest ever seen in Hammond. Seven primary colors were used in decorating it, to say nothing of the numerous combinations.

HEAVY power consumers of the district will be guests this evening of the Northern Indiana Gas & Electric Co. at an informal dinner at the Lyndora hotel. At the meeting it is hoped to decide on the form which the new power rate increase will take.

SERGEANT Bob Cramer carries his arm in a sling and sports a number of bruises as a result of being hit by an automobile in front of the Central fire station yesterday evening. The autoist left the scene without furnishing Bob with his name or number.

COL. Malcolm Stewart, who boasts the finest lawn in Homewood, read with interest the story of the man who painted the cement walk in front of his house green because it looked like grass and never has to be mowed, and he doesn't know whether to start the custom in Hammond or not.

VERNE SUMMERS reports a young man who was employed at a pharmacy who went down into the pharmacy cellar to draw a jar of soda fountain syrup from a barrel. He turned on the spigot and started to read a letter from his girl when he woke up the entire contents of the barrel had run out. The young man resigned.

SERVICE OFFICIAL IS SUMMONED

EIGHT-CENT FARE RULING IS CAUSE

Carl Mote Subpoenaed Today To Gary Superior Court

Carl Mote, secretary of the Indiana Public Service commission, according to word from Indianapolis, was summoned today to appear in the Gary Superior court on September 14, to show cause why the eight-cent fare ruling for the Hammond, Whiting & East Chicago Railway Co. should not be set aside.

Service on Secretary Mote follows the ruling of the suit last week in the Gary Superior court in which the City of Whiting protested against the ruling of the commission and asked that the street railway company be enjoined from collecting the new fare.

The City of Whiting contends that the commission overstepped its authority when it considered the appeal of the company for a fare increase. It is held that the original franchise which the city granted, is still in force and this specifies only a five-cent fare. The city insists that as the franchise was never revoked by the city council and the company did not surrender its franchise to the commission within the time specified, it has no right to go before the commission in the present instance to ask for concessions which the city has refused to grant.

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SAYS COX CAMPAIGN GETS BOOZE BENEFIT

And the Campaign Hasn't Hardly Got a Good Start Yet.

(INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE)
PITTSBURGH, Pa., Aug. 26.—Following up Prohibition Commissioner Krametz's recent statement that Pittsburgh was one of the "wettest spots in the United States," E. Hutson, head of an exclusive family hotel here, which has never had a bar, wired United States Senator Wm. S. Kenyon, of the senate committee, investigating campaign funds, urging a full investigation of a reported connection of profits in illicit whiskey sales in wholesale quantities in this district and the campaign fund of Gov. James M. Cox, democratic presidential nominee.

Hutson, in his telegram, declares that evidence of a channel between whiskey profits and the Cox campaign fund are easily obtainable. The request is for a broad-gauge investigation of the activities of boot-leggers in the Pittsburgh district and the relation of the traffic to contributions to the Cox war chest. Saloons are wide open, Hutson says, and he adds that "they have democratic assurance that they will not be molested."

BOTH WERE SCARED; AND HID IN BED
George Smith, white, who resides at the C. & O. hotel, and Carrie Walton, colored, 134 Merrill avenue, were lined up side by side in the Hammond police court this morning. They were charged with being drunk and disorderly.

The charges seemed innocent enough until Officer Beckler, who made the arrest, explained to the court that they were both occupying the same bed at Effie's home when arrested last night.

George was inclined to plead guilty and let it go at that, but Effie couldn't see it that way. She was indignant with tears in her voice she informed Judge Tinkham that she was not drunk. Her explanation was that "this gentleman" had come into her room and asked for a match. She gave it to him and simultaneously all the neighbors appeared at the window.

Effie supposed they were robbers and promptly locked the door. She was awfully scared, she said, and when someone knocked on the door it frightened both of them so that they hid in the bed. She demanded time to get a lawyer so the matter was set over until Friday and in the meantime other charges may be preferred against her.

Effie Was Highly Indignant At Charge and Had a Ready Explanation.

PROGRAM FOR BAND CONCERT
Hammond business men have provided another special treat in addition to the free band concert which is to be held Friday evening at Harrison Park. Matt Klein, who introduced the new song hits for the Jerome Remick music house will sing four numbers as a part of the evening's program.

Attention is also directed to the opening number of the program, "Greater Hammond," which is one of Barnie Young's own compositions. Mr. Young, who is in charge of the entertainments, has arranged the following program:

March—"Greater Hammond"—Barnie Young.
Overture—"William Tell"—G. Rossini.
Intermez—"Dan Cupid"—F. N. Brier.

A Dream Picture of the Old South—"Uncle Tom's Cabin"—J. B. Lampe.
Matt Klein Singing Jerome Remick's 1320 Hits—

(a) "La Veda"
(b) "Hawaiian Melody of Love."
(c) "Venetian Moon."
(d) "I'm Always Falling in Love With the Other Fellow's Girl."

(e) One Step—"The Hen and the Cow"—George Meyer.
(f) Fox Trot—"Lo-La-Bo"—George Fairman.

Selection from "Faust"—C. Gounod.
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(c) "I'll Be With You When the Clouds Roll By"—Robt. Paul and Chas. Kuhns.

"Star Spangled Banner"—Key.
The first concert last Friday evening drew a large crowd in spite of the threatening weather and it is believed that tomorrow evening will find Harrison Park crowded with people from Hammond and adjoining territory.

BRITISH TO BUY COAL PROPERTIES
NEW YORK, Aug. 26.—J. H. Gardner, managing director of the Colliery Investment Trust, limited, the British coal company which has placed contracts for 35,000,000 tons of American coal, said today that his company is planning to buy large mining properties in this country. It is reported that the American coal already bought by the British concern was purchased at approximately \$5 a ton.

5 P.M. NEWS FLASHES

(INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE)
CEDAR RAPIDS, Iowa, Aug. 26.—James "Tama Jim" Wilson, secretary of agriculture in the cabinets of Presidents McKinley, Roosevelt and Taft died at his home in Tiaer Iowa today, aged 88 years.

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ENROUTE TO PITTSBURGH
WITH GOV. COX, Aug. 26.—Heading for the republican stronghold of Pittsburgh, Gov. Cox is busy in his private car today preparing his speech and marshalling voluminous bulwarks of figures by which he promises to prove, in his Pittsburgh speech tonight, the charge that there is a deep laid plot to "buy the presidency" for his republican opponent to the tune of at least \$15,000,000.

(INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE)
ANTWERP, Aug. 26.—A new Olympic record for women swimmers over a 500-meter course under free style conditions was hung up today by Ethel Bleibrey of the Women's Swimming Association.

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